

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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OFFERED BY MR. RUTHERFORD OF FLORIDA

Strike section 1031 and insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . PROHIBITION ON FUNDS FOR RETIREMENT OR**
2 **INACTIVATION OF NAVY LITTORAL COMBAT**
3 **SHIPS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds authorized to
5 be appropriated by this Act or otherwise made available
6 for fiscal year 2023 for the Department of Defense may
7 be obligated or expended to retire, prepare to retire, inac-
8 tivate, or place in storage any Navy Littoral Combat
9 Ships.

10 (b) OFFSET.—Notwithstanding the amounts set forth
11 in the funding tables in division D, the amount authorized
12 to be appropriated in section 301 for operation and main-
13 tenance, defense-wide, line 440, Office of the Secretary of
14 Defense, as specified in the corresponding funding table
15 in section 4301, is hereby reduced by \$252,300,000.

